Requests for grant of industrial licences from Andhra Pradesh

2889. SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the number of requests for grant of industrial licences from Andhra Pradesh pending decision and since when they have been pending; and

(b) the steps taken to expedite decision on each of them?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE, SUPPLY AND INDUSTRY (SHRI VISHWANATH PRATAP SINGH): (a) 59 Industrial Licence applications received in 1984, 12 received in 1983 and 1 received in 1981 for the grant of Letters of Intent are pending consideration.

(b) It is the constant endeavour of the Government to dispose of all Industrial Licence applications as expeditiously as possible. for which purpose, the procedures have been streamlined.

Employment for cadets trained in T.S. Rajendra

2890. SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA: Will the Minister of SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a large number of cadets trained in TS Rajendra are without jobs; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT (SHRI Z. R. ANSARI): (a) and (b) All cadets trained on T.S. Rajendra have been accommodated on ships for sea training. However, a number of them have not been able to secure gainful employment after completion of the prescribed sea training and after obtaining the Second Mate Certificate of Competency.

The unemployment is mainly on account of the general state of depression in the international shipping industry, negligible demand of Indian Officers by foreign shipping companies and scrapping of vessels by Indian shipping companies.

Payment of instalment by applicants under S.F.S. in Vasant Kunj

2891. SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Delhi Development Authority had asked applicants, who have registered under the Self Financing Scheme S2 Category III in Vasant Kunj to pay the second instalment due on 4th August. 1984;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the demand for payment has been cancelled at the last minute; and

(c) if so, what are the reasons for the same?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS AND IN THE MINISTRY OF WORKS AND HOUSING AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) Yes.

(b) and (c) The payment of 2nd instalment has been deferred due to delay in the start of construction.

15 से 20 हार्स पावर वाले ट्रैक्टरों का आयात

2892. **श्री मीर्जा इर्शादबेग एयुबबेग :** क्या उद्योग मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) पिछले दो वर्षों के दौरान पब्लिक सेक्टर और प्राइवेट सेक्टर द्वारा